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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT AND REMARKS**

Sir:

This Preliminary Amendment and Remarks is submitted in connection with the above-referenced application and Applicants respectfully request the Examiner's consideration of it prior to examination.

**I. AMENDMENTS IN THE CLAIMS**

Please cancel claims 3, 23, 26, and 29 without prejudice.

Please amend claims 1, 4, 22, and 27 as follows:

1. (Amended) A commutator for a motor wherein the commutator comprises at least one magnet chemically-bonded to the commutator.

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